IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

John Aram SAFA

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For: DIGITAL DATA PROTECTION ARRANGEMENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

please make the following amendments to this application prior to examination thereof.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Claim 33, cancel.

Add new claim as follows:

39. (New) A computer system comprising memory means containing a digital protection arrangement according to claim 1.

REMARKS

The above amendments are presented in order to place this application in better condition for examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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